

MASSACHUSETTS COVID-19 VACCINE PROGRAM

Pfizer and Moderna second dose scheduling Key messages 3/22/21

General messages

- The Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines were not studied for use as a single dose. People must get both doses of the vaccine to be fully vaccinated.
- Your second shot is recommended at 21 days for Pfizer and 28 days for Moderna, but any time up to 6 weeks (42 days) after the first dose is in line with CDC guidance. You should not get the second dose earlier than 21 days for Pfizer or 28 days for Moderna.
- Anyone who received a first dose of Pfizer or Moderna, no matter where it was given, is eligible for a second dose no matter where they would otherwise fall in the current prioritization.
- You will get a vaccination card that tells you which COVID-19 vaccine you received, and when and where you received it. The card will remind you to return for a second dose.
- It's important that you get the same type of vaccine both times.
- Make sure you have a second appointment scheduled from the same site, or know how to schedule it, before leaving your first appointment.
- If possible, go back to the same vaccination site to get the second dose.

Mass vaccination locations (Updated 3/22/21)

- The <u>preregistration system</u> for mass vaccination locations is for **first doses only**. Second doses cannot be scheduled through the preregistration system.
- You can schedule a second dose at a mass vaccination location if:
 - You were unable to schedule your second dose when you received your first dose at a mass vaccination location
 - You can't go back to another location where you received your first dose
- The fastest way to book a second dose appointment is to call a mass vaccination location. Make sure the location offers the same vaccine you received for your first dose. See table on the next page.
- You can also call 2-1-1 for help scheduling a second dose at a mass vaccination location if you're unable to do so on your own.

Location	Vaccine	Phone number	Call center hours of operation
Gillette Stadium	Moderna		
Hynes Convention Center	Pfizer	(888) 623-3830	7 days per week, 8am to 8pm
Reggie Lewis Center	Pfizer		
Eastfield Mall, Springfield	Pfizer	(888) 702-9042	Monday – Saturday, 8am to 11pm Sunday, 8am – 9pm
DoubleTree Hotel, Danvers	Pfizer		
Former Circuit City, Dartmouth	Pfizer		
Natick Mall	Moderna	(888) 990-6066	Monday – Friday, 7am to 7pm
			Saturday – Sunday, 9am to 2pm

Pharmacies

- If you received your first dose at a pharmacy, you should schedule your second dose appointment on-site after your first dose appointment. If you need to schedule just a second dose appointment at a pharmacy, follow the same process as scheduling a first dose appointment on Vaxfinder.
- Some pharmacies also have their phone numbers listed on <u>Vaxfinder</u>. In this case, you may also contact them by phone to schedule an appointment.

CVS: 1-800-746-7287Wegmans: 1-800-207-6099Walgreens: 1-800-925-4733